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FOOD SUPPLIES & CONSUMER WELFARE DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

The 24th June 2011

No. 10819—PL-IP-50/2011—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-clause (i) of Clause 2 of the Orissa Rice and Paddy Procurement (Levy) and Restriction on Sale and Movement Order, 1982 and with prior concurrence of the Government of India, the State Government do hereby notify the Minimum Support Price as specified in Column (2) of Schedule 'A' below payable for purchase of different grades of paddy of Fair Average Quality (F.A.Q.) Standard of Uniform Specifications and Relaxation in Uniform Specifications as specified in Column (1) thereof and in the matter for the purpose of more clarity (Fair Average Quality), the Uniform Specification and the Relaxation in Uniform Specifications of all grades of paddy has been mentioned in Scheduled 'B' below for the Kharif Marketing Season 2010-2011 commencing from the 1st October 2010 :—

SCHEDULE 'A'

Grade (1)	Minimum Support Price of Paddy per quintal (2)
Grade 'A' (FAQ Standard)	Rs. 1,030.00 (Rupees One thousand thirty) only
Common (FAQ Standard)	Rs. 1,000.00 (Rupees One thousand) only
Relaxation in Uniform Specifications.	23 districts namely Sambalpur, Bargarh, Sonepur, Balangir, Kalahandi, Nuapada, Ganjam, Gajapati, Rayagada, Koraput, Nawarangpur, Khurda, Mayurbhanj, Sundargarh, Jharsuguda, Deogarh, Keonjhar, Puri, Nayagarh, Malkangiri, Dhenkanal, Kandhamal & Boudh are allowed to sale paddy without value cut.

SCHEDULE 'B'

UNIFORM SPECIFICATION AND RELAXED SPECIFICATION OF ALL VARIETIES OF PADDY
FOR THE KHARIF MARKETING SEASON 2010-2011

Paddy shall be in sound, merchantable condition, dry, clean, wholesome of good food values, uniform in colour and size of grains and free from moulds, weevils, obnoxious smell, argemeone mexicana, lathyrus sativus (Khesari) and admixture of deleterious substances.

Paddy may be classified into Grade 'A' and Common Groups of the following specification namely :—

Sl. No.	Refractions	Specification	
		Uniform Specification	Maximum Limits (%) Under Relaxation in Uniform Specification
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1	Foreign Matter		
	(i) Inorganic	1.0	1.0
	(ii) Organic	1.0	1.0
2	Damaged, discoloured, sprouted and weevil led grains.	4.0	10.0 (Subject to condition that Damaged, sprouted and weevil led grains do not exceed 5%).
3	Immature, Shrunken and Shriveled grains	3.0	5.0
4	Admixture of Lower Class (For Grade 'A' Paddy only).	7.0	7.0
5	Moisture content	17.0	17.0

- NOTE :— (i) The definitions of the above refractions and method of analysis are to be followed as per BIS "Method of analysis of foodgrains :IS : 4333 (Part-1), 1996, IS : 4333 (Part-II) 2002" and "Terminology for good grains IS : 2813, 1995 as amended from time to time."
- (ii) The method of sampling is to be followed as per BIS method for sampling of cereals and pluses No. 14818, 2000 amended from time to time.
- (iii) Within the overall limit of 1.0% for organic foreign mater, poisonous seeds shall not exceed 0.5% of which Dhaturas and Akra Seeds (Vicia species) not to exceed 0.025% and 0.2%, respectively.

By order of the Governor

MADHUSUDAN PADHI

Commissioner-cum-Secretary to Government